बनाएगा। अंतरिम बीमा विनियामक प्राधिकरण के अध्यक्ष की नियुक्ति समय समय पर यथा-संशोधित बीमा अधिनियम1938 की धारा 2 ख के प्रयोजनार्थ बीमा नियंत्रक के रूप में की जाएगी। यह अंतरिम संस्था जब भी अस्तित्व में आएगी वैसे ही स्यायत्त बीमा विनियामक प्राधिकरण के साथ अन्तोगत्वा समामेलित कर दी जाएगी।

रिलायंस पेट्रोलियम लिमिटेड को ऋण

1470. **श्री गोविन्द राम मिरी** : क्या वित्त मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगें कि:

(क) क्या रिलायंस पेट्रोलियम लिमिटेड ने कई विदेशी वित्तीय संस्थाओं से ऋण लिया हैं;

(ख) यदि हां, तो वर्ष 1992-93 से आज तक विदेशी मुद्रा में कुल कितना ऋण लिया हैं;

(ग) क्या उक्त अवधि के दौरान कुछ ऋणों का भुगतान कर दिया गया हैं; और

(घ) यदि हां, तो 1992-93, 1993-94 और 1994-95 के दौरान अब तक वापस किए गए ऋण की राशियों का वर्ष-वार ब्यौरा क्या हैं, इन ऋणों के लिए क्रमशः भुगतान किये गये ब्याज की राशि का ब्यौरा क्या हैं?

वित्त मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (डा. देवीप्रसाद पाल) : (क) जी, नहीं।

(ख) से (घ) प्रश्न नहीं उठता।

Lowering of Excise Duty for Weaving Industry

1471. SHRI B.K. HARIPRASAD: Will the
Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are considering lowering of excise/customs duty for weaving industry;

(b) whether Government have sought the opinion of the Bureau of Industrial Costs and Prices on this and if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Indian Federation of Weaving Industry is resisting the move for introduction of MODVAT in textile industry and if so, the reasons therefor; and

(d) whether Government would present a package to the industry whereby lowering of the excise/customs tariff could be linked to introduction of MODVAT?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI KAMAL NATH): (a) to (d) Govermeni have received various suggestions regarding changes in the current tax structure relating to textile industry. All these suggestions are considered on merit.

CNN Telecast about Terrorists in Jammu and Kashmir

1472. SHRI INDER KLMAR GUJRAL: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that the Bulletin of CNN telecast at 8.30 A.M. on 13th August, 1995, featured its Delhi based correspondent who was quoted as saying in a telephone interview that the terrorists in Jammu and Kashmir are fighting against the inclusion of the "Muslim" enclave of Kashmir in "Hindu" India;

(b) whether it is also a fact that every frame in the entire CNN Bulletin prominently carried the terrorism logo along with the CNN logo thus lending its concurrence; if so, what is Government's reaction thereto; and

(c) whether, in light of the above, Government propose to review its agreement with the CNN?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI P.M. SAYEED): (a) Yes, Sir. Doordarshan has already registered its protest in the matter with CNN and asked it not to allow any distortions in its telecasts and CNN have responded positively.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) There is no such proposal.

Electrification of villages in Maharashtra

1473. MISS SAROJ KHAPARDE: Will the
Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have made any survey regarding the number of villages to be electrified in Maharashtra as on date;